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| For: | SMOKE AND CLEAN AIR GENERATING MACHINE FOR DETECTING THE PRESENCE OF LEAKS IN A FLUID SYSTEM | ,)))))) | Gloup Art Ollit. 2050 |

AMENDMENT

Box: Fee Amendment Assistant Commissioner of Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office 2900 Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA 22202-3513

Dear Sir:

In reply to the original Office Action dated February 26, 2004 and the Failure to Acceptably Respond to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated September 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: